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Forest Roads Close for Bridge Repairs

NORTH BEND, Ore. – Three forest roads east of Coquille will close for several days over the next month to complete bridge repairs.

Cherry Creek Mainline (# 27-11-27.0C), off of Cherry Creek County Road, will be closed at milepost 4.3 October 8 and October 9, 2008. Camas Creek Road (#28-10-12.0C), off the Coos Bay Wagon Road, will be closed at milepost 4.0 October 13 and October 14, 2008. Elk Creek Ridge Road (#28-11-29.0A) will be closed at milepost 0.10 from October 15 to October 17, 2008.

People travelling in these areas should watch for construction equipment and should use alternate routes around the closures.

For more information, contact the Bureau of Land Management engineering branch at 541-751-4275.

About BLM

The BLM manages more land – 258 million surface acres – than any other Federal agency. Most of this public land is located in 12 Western States, including Alaska. The BLM, with a budget of about \$1.8 billion, also administers 700 million acres of sub-surface mineral estate throughout the nation. The BLM's multiple-use mission is to sustain the health and productivity of the public lands for the use and enjoyment of present and future generations. The BLM accomplishes this by managing such activities as outdoor recreation, livestock grazing, mineral development, and energy production, and by conserving natural, historical, and cultural resources on the public lands.

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